



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 5803

February Session, 2006

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**AN ACT CONCERNING A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE
SHORELINE EROSION.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2006*) The sum of ____ dollars is
2 appropriated to the Department of Environmental Protection, from the
3 General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, for grants for
4 preconstruction costs necessary to establish pilot programs in Milford
5 and Fairfield to reverse permanently Long Island Sound hypoxia and
6 shoreline erosion by engineering, designing, seeking approvals for and
7 other preconstruction costs of a system of stabilizing bars running
8 parallel to the shoreline and a series of fingers extending into Long
9 Island Sound perpendicularly from such stabilizing bars, causing
10 water currents to reverse shoreline erosion through natural water
11 current force and wave motion. Any unexpended balance of funds
12 made available to the Department of Environmental Protection for the
13 purposes of this section shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall
14 continue to be available for expenditure for such purposes during the
15 fiscal year ending June 30, 2008.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2006</i>	New section
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